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IN THE SOCIAL WORLD

How President and Cabinet Spent Thanksgiving.

MISS OLGA CONVERSE'S DEBUT

Younger Element of Fashionable Set Fully Represented at Tea Given for the Coming Out of the Youngest Daughter of the Admiral—Miss Grace Mantz Weds W. F. Bowen.

President Roosevelt had a quiet Thanksgiving dinner with his family. It was a family party that gathered around the big mahogany table in the state dining-room of the White House at 7:30 o'clock yesterday evening.

In addition to the President and Mrs. Roosevelt, it was composed of Representative and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, Miss Ethel Roosevelt, and Archibald and Quentin Roosevelt. Another guest, whose name was not given out, was also at the dinner. Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., who is a student at Harvard, and Kenneth Roosevelt, who is attending school at Groton, Mass., did not come home for the holidays.

The big twenty-eight-pound turkey sent to the President by Hiram Vose, of Westbury, R. I., was served at the dinner. It was the only turkey received at the White House this Thanksgiving. In previous years many turkey raisers have sent their prize birds to the White House at this season.

The President spent most of the late afternoon working in his library.

The Vice President and Mrs. Fairbanks, the Secretary of State and Mrs. Root, the Secretary of War and Mrs. Taft, the Secretary of the Interior and Mrs. Hitchcock, the Postmaster General and Mrs. Cortelyou, the Secretary of Commerce and Labor and Mrs. Metcalf, all celebrated Thanksgiving Day in their Washington homes with family dinner parties last evening, and in most cases with a few close friends to share the holiday. The Secretary of the Treasury and Mrs. Shaw, with Miss Emma Shaw, passed the day in the country home of Maj. and Mrs. Schnitzer, old-time friends of the Secretary of the Navy, remained at his suburban home near Baltimore, where he and Mrs. Bonaparte entertained a small company at dinner. Mr. Moody, the Attorney General, and Mr. Wilson, the Secretary of Agriculture, were the guests of friends.

The younger element in society turned out yesterday afternoon to welcome Miss Olga Converse, youngest daughter of Rear Admiral Converse, who made her debut at a tea given at her parents' home on Connecticut avenue. This attractive bud welcomed her friends in one of the most effective costumes seen this season, a gown of dead white silk, relieved only by trimming of silk ruffles, with folds of the same caught with small rhinestone buckles, and in place of the conventional bouquet, held a single long-stemmed American Beauty rose. In addition to Mrs. Converse, the guests included the following party included the elder daughters of the family, Mrs. Le Baron Carlton Colt, Miss Converse, and Miss Shelby Converse, and Miss Pettit, of Philadelphia, a guest of the family, Miss Joanna Schroeder, Miss Frederick Morgan, Miss Jennings, Miss Eleanor Slater, and Miss Stephanie Trescott. Mrs. Grimsby McCannion and Miss Mary Southernland did the honors of the tea-room.

A large company witnessed the marriage of Miss Grace Mantz and Mr. William Francis Bowen, which took place last evening at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, Mount Pleasant. The pastor, Rev. George Fliske Dudley, officiated.

The decoration of the church was most elaborate, a profusion of tiny electric lights among the tropical plants about the chancel and altar being the chief feature. The bridesmaids, who were Mr. Walter L. Tenney, Mr. D. A. Jack, of Philadelphia, Dr. J. Robert deForges, and Mr. Cyrus Mantz, Jr.

They were followed by four maids, Miss Marie Cooper, of Baltimore; Miss Marie Spigum, Miss Carl L. Busby, and Miss Lottie Davis, each of whom wore a white net gown, built on white satin, and carried red roses. The bride, who was escorted by her father, Mr. Cyrus Mantz, wore a princess gown of all-over lace over white satin, with trimmings of panne velvet. Her veil was of tulle, and her bouquet a shower of roses and lilies of the valley. The bridegroom, with his best man, Mr. Henry Steffens, of Baltimore, joined the bridal party at the chancel. A small reception at the home of the bride's parents followed the ceremony.

The marriage of Mr. Edward H. Bulkeley to Miss Margaret Stewart, of St. Johns, New Brunswick, and more recently of Newport, R. I., took place in the latter city on Wednesday afternoon at the La Forge cottage, where the bride and her party were residing temporarily. Rev. Emory H. Porter, D. D., rector of Emmanuel Episcopal Church, officiating. Mr. Bulkeley is in Washington, where he is a member of the Metropolitan Club, and formerly maintained a winter residence on Eighteenth street. He is thirty-seven years of age, but has been more or less of an invalid for several years. His bride, who is twenty-four, handsome and well connected, was formerly a trained nurse in the Newport Hospital, where Mr. Bulkeley was a patient during a long and dangerous illness eighteen months ago. Their engagement was announced during the past summer, when Miss Stewart left for a visit to her former home, from which she only recently returned to Newport at the earnest solicitation of Mr. Bulkeley, whose health would not permit him to undertake the journey at this time. Mr. and Mrs. Bulkeley will reside permanently at Newport, where the former owns a cottage.

Miss Gertrude M. Clark, of Atlanta, Ga., was the guest of honor at a dinner of ten covers held last evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Aba Skolski, 1313 B street.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Foster are entertaining a particularly interesting house party consisting of their grandchildren. Mr. John Foster Dulles and his sister, Miss Margaret Dulles, with their friends, Miss Harriet Richardson, of Auburn, N. Y.; Mr. Finney, of Baltimore, and Mr. Sewell Camp, of Astoria, N. Y. The young men are from Princeton and the girls from a boarding school for the Thanksgiving holiday.

The marriage of Miss Marie Scoudd, of this city, to Mr. William Carl Hanson, of Charlotte, N. C., took place Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Schoudd, 1211 I street. In the presence of a small company of relatives and friends, Rev. Edward M.

TIED BY THE LORDS

Britons Disapprove Attitude of Upper House.

ROW OVER EDUCATION BILL

Peerage Refuses to Concur in the Measure Passed by Commons and Result May Be Dissolution of Parliament—English Lecturer Tells of Condition of People in His Country.

Baltimore, Md., Nov. 29.—Sectarian instructions in the public schools of Great Britain have created a furore among the people there, and so acute has the trouble become that it may end in the dissolution of Parliament and a call for a new election in order that the people can pass directly on the education question.

Legislation presumed to be satisfactory to those objecting to the present order of things has been approved by the House of Commons, but the House of Lords has held the measure up. As a result, the lords are feeling the full weight of popular disapproval. So pronounced is the feeling shown that a demand is being made for the total abolition of the House of Lords. This, of course, would be a radical measure, and some think, one that will be impossible to accomplish without a revolution.

Parliament May Be Dissolved.
Lecturing at the Johns Hopkins University on economic problems in Great Britain is Douglas Knapp, of Owens College, Manchester, who is not looking for any serious trouble as the result of the fight over the education bill.

"Our people are conservative," he said. "Unless the trouble is adjusted it may result in the dissolution of Parliament. Nothing more radical is to be expected."

"In England," he continued, "the public school buildings are often the property of the Church of England. The halls in which public instruction is given were built by the church on property that it owned. Although the buildings were dedicated to the use of the public for school purposes, the rector of the church nearby continues to take an interest in the school, and naturally in the religious instruction of the pupils. Just as naturally this instruction is sectarian to a certain extent."

Nonconformists Object.
"Nonconformists, in which are included all Protestant denominations other than those associated with the Church of England, made a vigorous protest against these instructions. Catholics are not interested in the dispute, as they, as a rule, have schools of their own wherever they congregate in sufficient numbers to maintain an educational institution."

"The education bill went into effect in 1902. Since then no opportunity has been lost by the nonconformists for expressing their disapproval. Often they have refused to send their children to the schools followed. Whenever the legislature put in an appearance for the purpose of selling property to meet the tax, the nonconformists assembled to make a demonstration. They assembled at these sales in immense numbers, and voiced their resentment against the education laws. All wanted the schools and all were willing to pay the tax. It was simply a question of eliminating the sectarian instruction and substituting for them readers from the Bible."

How Question Is Complicated.
"This question went before the people at the last election. Interwoven with it were several labor problems, and also the question of protection. An education bill was passed in the House. Various amendments were offered to the bill as it was originally submitted. Some of these amendments were passed by narrow margins. Sometimes the Irish were voted down, and sometimes they were voted up. When the bill came up for a final passage, however, it went through by a majority of nearly 200, I think."

"It then went to the House of Lords, where it was amended in such a way that the question of sectarian instruction was practically left in the position it was in before the bill was introduced. It was then voted up. As so many Irish were involved in the last election, the lords contended that it was beyond the ability of any one to say that the majority for the dominant party could be depended on to demand for the change in the education law. They have stood their ground."

A Threat That Was Effective.
"In the Commons are about 650 members, while there is something over 500 in the House of Lords. The members of the Lords have this honor by virtue of heredity. Back in 1832 there was a big fight, and the lords were threatened with the creation of additional peers to such a number that they could be outvoted. This brought them around, as it was felt that the peers would become so common that little honor would attach to the dignity."

"Now that the lords remain firm, the education bill goes back to the Commons for their concurrence. Should the Commons refuse to recede from their position and the lords continue to remain firm, the only solution would be to call for a new election, where the people could pass on the education bill without confusing it with other issues. It would then be possible for the lords to remain firm. This was the stand they took when the threat was made of the creation of additional peers."

"It seems to me that it would be a very difficult matter to get rid of the House of Lords, as the members would be called upon to vote themselves out of political existence, and the lords would be expected to do the same."

If the people should vote for a change in the education law when it is not confused with other questions, the lords would, I believe, vote for the bill passed by the Commons.

THIRD PORTRAIT RECOVERED.
Only One of Those Stolen from Artist Murphy Now Missing.

The third of the portraits which were obtained by William R. Wilson, who claimed to be the representative of the American Historical Society, was recovered yesterday.

It was a life-size picture of the late John Hay, and was found by a detective in Providence, R. I. The picture is one of four that were painted by an artist named Murphy. New York, and were valued at \$2,000 each.

Wilson, who is now out on a bond of \$1,000, refuses to divulge the hiding place of the fourth of the pictures—that of President Roosevelt. His defense will be that the portraits were so inferior that he could not use them for the decoration of the Calver mansion, as he anticipated, and that they were not worth keeping.

He Knew.
From the Yonkers Statesman.

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"Yes, my son."

"What kind of wood do they use most in tanning?"

"Well, when I went to school, my boy, they used birch."

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